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To: Dental Providers

The Dental Task Force has encouraged the following limitations be placed on certain procedure codes. The changes will become effective April 1, 2006. These are for procedures billed in an office setting, not outpatient/inpatient.

Permanent, stainless steel or resin crowns are limited to 6 per date of service individually or in combination. These procedure codes include D2750, D2751, D2752, D2792, D2930, D2931 and D2932.

Core buildups (D2950) and post and cores (D2952, D2954) are limited to 6 per date of service individually or in combination.

Post and cores, each additional (D2953, D2957) are limited to 2 per date of service individually or in combination.

Pulpotomy (D3220) and Pulpal Therapy (D3230, D3240) procedures are limited to 6 per date of service individually or in combination.

Root canal treatment on anterior (D3310) and premolars (D3320) are limited to 6 per date of service individually or in combination.

Molar root canals (D3330) are limited to 2 per date of service. One molar root canal can be performed with 3 anterior or premolar root canal procedures.

If you have questions, you can call 334-242-5472.

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